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In re Application of Scott Bales

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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed August 7, 2002, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed September 18, 2001, which set a statutory period for reply of three (3) months. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on December 19, 2001.

This application is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 2157 for further processing.

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